

Table 34.—Number and percent of blind and disabled SSI recipients and working recipients, for selected months, 1976–99

At end of selected month	All disabled SSI recipients ¹	SSI disabled recipients who work ¹		
		Receiving SSI ²	Section 1619(b) earners	Percent of disabled recipients
December: ³				
1976	2,088,242	70,719	...	3.4
1977	2,186,771	83,697	...	3.8
1978	2,249,025	87,697	...	3.9
1979	2,277,859	92,270	...	4.1
1980	2,334,241	99,276	...	4.3
1981	2,340,785	102,632	...	4.4
1982	2,314,364	102,288	5,515	4.7
1983	2,391,262	108,734	5,165	4.8
1987	2,945,244	157,223	15,632	5.9
1988	3,046,074	173,519	15,625	6.2
1989	3,172,270	187,583	18,254	6.5
1990	3,386,603	196,415	23,517	6.5
1991	3,681,050	202,355	27,264	6.2
1992	4,126,816	217,268	31,649	6.0
1993	4,544,777	230,350	35,299	5.8
1994	4,870,564	241,793	40,683	5.8
1995	5,115,014	251,633	47,002	5.8
1996	5,252,991	256,395	51,905	5.9
1997	5,189,724	262,766	57,089	6.2
1998	5,293,829	266,933	59,542	6.2
1999	5,317,861	271,353	69,265	6.4
1997				
March	5,223,023	261,551	48,194	5.9
June	5,249,201	263,528	52,646	6.0
September	5,234,877	261,856	56,872	6.1
December	5,189,724	262,766	57,089	6.2
1998				
March	5,235,042	264,830	54,639	6.1
June	5,285,950	268,628	55,761	6.1
September	5,312,870	272,079	58,183	6.2
December	5,293,829	266,933	59,542	6.2
1999				
March	5,350,722	268,866	63,431	6.2
June	5,354,409	270,989	66,939	6.3
September	5,357,789	272,100	70,580	6.4
December	5,317,861	271,353	69,265	6.4

¹Includes both SSI blind recipients and all section 1619(b) participants.²Includes 1619(a) participants and SSI recipients earning less than the Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA) level, (\$700 effective July 1999).³Data not available for December 1984, 1985, 1986.

Source: SSI Work Incentive Files and Revised Management Information Counts System (REMICS).